GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

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Construction Tender Process for National Highways
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of National Highways (NHs) in the country for which construction tender process has been completed but construction work has not been started;

(b) the reasons for the said delay in the construction work;

(c) the present status of the NH-12 of Madhya Pradesh along with the reasons for its continued dilapidated condition;

(d) whether the Government has fixed any time limit for the construction of the said stretch of NH-12; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a) to (b) In about seventy eight numbers of projects, start of construction work is delayed mainly due to forest clearance, land acquisition, non-fulfillment of the condition precedent, financial closure, non-availability of encumbrance free land, poor mobilization of contractor, etc.

(c) to (e) The development of NH-12 in Madhya Pradesh is being carried out in seven packages with construction period of 24 months and the status is given at Annexure-I.